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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.56 and 1.97-1.98, the Applicants herewith transmit the attached Form PTO/SB/08, including copies of the foreign patent documents which were cited in Official Actions received from the Korean Intellectual Property Office (issue dates of May 30, 2005) with respect to related Korean Patent Application Nos. 2003-12223 and 2003-00115, and which may be deemed material to the examination of the above-identified application. An English abstract is provided as a brief statement of relevance of the foreign patent documents to the above identified application as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98. Copies of the Official Actions provided by the Korean Intellectual Property Office are also enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

The Applicants certify under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) that the disclosed items were cited for the first time in a communication from a foreign patent office, the attached Official Actions provided by the Korean Intellectual Property Office, less than three months from the date of this Information Disclosure Statement, therefore, no fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is required. However, should any fees be required, the Director is hereby authorized to charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 18-2220.

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The Examiner is requested to consider the attached documents in connection with the above-identified application, and to return a copy of the Form PTO/SB/08 to the Applicants with the Examiner's initials in the spaces provided.

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